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In re application of

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Makoto NAMIKAWA, et al.

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2006, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages. A Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 along with a sworn English translation of JP 2001-309340 is filed herewith.